

only; whilst the ac-
Judge Toney, by decision
of the Court of Appeals, is stripped
of every semblance of excuse and
left in its native deformity, it is to
be condemned, rebuked and de-
nounced by the people who were
the victims.

No more important question con-
fronts the people of the Common-
wealth than the question whether
a great corporation owned not in
Kentucky, not in the United States,
but in Europe, can buy an election
and thus control the making, con-
struction and execution of the laws.
Even now the birdings of this cor-
poration boast that it will buy con-
trol of the General Assembly of the
Commonwealth and thereby pre-
vent the enactment of laws the
people desire, and prevent the
Democratic candidates from obtain-
ing possession of the offices to
which they were duly elected.

Both before and since the elec-
tion on November 7, 1899, the Re-
publican party has continuously
employed threats of violence and
The issuance of the certificates of
election to the Republican candi-
dates is contested upon the further
ground that both a Federal and a
State Judge, without warrant of
law and in defiance of every
prompting of fair dealing and de-
cency, interfered with the holding
of the State election; the one by
issuing charges to a grand jury
and by the employment of deputy
United States Marshals, and the
other by issuing every mandamus
and injunction asked for by the
Republican party, which latter
judicial acts have been declared by
the supreme judicial tribunal of
the State to have been unlawful.

USE OF CORPORATE MONEY.

Another ground is the use in the
interest of the Republican party of
an immense corporation fund con-
tributed by the most powerful rail-
road corporation of the Common-
wealth, whereby many thousands
of votes were bought against the
Democratic party and its candi-
dates, because that party in this
platform adopted in its State Con-
vention dared to advocate meas-
ures of relief demanded by the peo-
ple of the Commonwealth.

Attention is called to the fact
that, although the most honest
official campaign that ever
in the Commonwealth

of the State, we summoned in joint
council with us a large number of
the wisest and most conservative
citizens from all parts of the State.
It was the unanimous verdict of
these gentlemen that a blow had
been struck at the very vitals of
free government by the method-
and practices enumerated, and that
every consideration that can impe-
re men to act for the protection
of their most sacred rights demands
that the foul wrongs inflicted on
the State shall be redressed through
the agencies appointed by law.

In the proceedings to accomplish
this end it is but just to say that
the ambition of no man or candi-
date has been considered. The sit-
uation rises above the individual,
and becomes one of grave peril to
the citizenship of the whole State;
and the candidates of the Demo-
cratic party, in obedience to the
supreme duty of the hour, are used
merely as the instruments by which
these wrongs may be rectified and
the dignity and honor of the State
vindicated.

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